to 99.8. The remaining 0.2 percent of water samples found unsatisfactory were due to corroded pipe lines, individual connections, cross-connections, on-line boosters, etc. The same were promptly attended to and rectified. The Delhi Jal Board has also intensified the surveilance activities in the vulnerable areas and taken adequate precautionary and rectification measures wherever required.

Forceful Acquisition of Agricultural Land for Relocation of Industries in Delhi

2422. SHRI RAJEEV SHUKLA: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Government have forcefully acquired agricultural land with standing crop in Delhi for relocation of industries without paying the promised cost;

(b) whether the cost of crop, fertilizers and pesticides have also been taken into account while deciding the compensation to be paid;

(c) whether the farmers are agitating on these issues; and

(d) by when the compensation is likely to be paid to all whose land has been acuqired?

THE MINISTER OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATION (SHRI JAGMOHAN): (a) The Government of NCT of Delhi has informed that it has acquired agricultural land for relocation of Industries pursuant to the direction of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.

(b) Yes, Sir.

(c) Farmers had demanded enhancement of the compensation rate for the acquired land.

(d) Where award has been announced by the Land Acquisition Collector, payment has been offered in all the cases. Most of the persons have also collected the payment. In cases where award is yet to be announced, 80% of the compensation has been offered to the affected persons as per section 17(3-A) of Land Acquisition Act, 1894 and most of them have collected the compensation.

Use of Residential Plots for Commercial purposes in JJ Colony, Madipur, New Delhi

2423. SHRI K. M. SAIFULLAH: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT AND POVERTY ALLEVIATON be pleased to state: